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Application Number	10/667,916
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First Named Inventor	Feng Hong
Art. Unit	1625
Examiner Name	AULAKH, Charanjit J.
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REPLY AND AMENDMENT

PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.111 & 1.121

Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action dated April 05, 2004 , please extend the period of time for response two months, to expire on September 05, 2004. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.